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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In the application of )  
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H. Hoshino, et al. ) Examiner: Philip Leung  
)  
Title: CURRENT-CARRYING/HEATING )  
APPARATUS OF LIQUID FOOD ) Art Unit: 3742  
)  
Serial No.: 10/774,961 ) Confirmation No. 5569  
)  
Filed On: February 9, 2005 ) (Our Docket No. 4980-0003)

Hartford, Connecticut, September 22, 2005

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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION and**  
**REQUEST FOR ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME**

S I R:

Applicant requests a one-month extension of time, to September 22, 2005, for filing a Response to the Office Action of May 24, 2005.

In response to the Office Action, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**REMARKS** begin on page 4 of this paper.

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